

Exercises for linear algebra

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1. Find values of the variables x , y and z for each of the following systems of equations, using Gaussian elimination.

$$(i) \quad \begin{cases} 2x - 2y - z = 3 \\ x - y + z = 2 \\ x + y + 2z = 3 \end{cases} \quad (ii) \quad \begin{cases} 4x + 3y + z = 5 \\ 2x - y - z = 4 \\ x + y - z = 3 \end{cases}$$

$$(iii) \quad \begin{cases} 2x + 2y - 7z = 10 \\ -x - y = 5 \\ 3x + 2y + z = -1 \end{cases} \quad (iv) \quad \begin{cases} 3x + 2y + z = 16 \\ x + y + z = 5 \\ 2x - y - z = 7 \end{cases}$$